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Thereon  
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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**  
**UNDER 37 CFR §1.114**

Sir:

In response to the final official action dated June 27, 2005 received in the patent application identified above, Applicants request continued examination of this application with claims amended as indicated herein.

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